2444-107 Attorney Docket No. First Named Esther H. CHANG Inventor **DECLARATION AND POWER OF** ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN **COMPLETE IF KNOWN** PATENT APPLICATION PCT/US99/27365 Application Number (37 CFR 1.63) November 19, 1999 Filing Date Declaration Declaration \mathbf{x} Submitted Submitted To Be Assigned Group Art Unit after Initial with Initial Filing Filing **Examiner Name** To Be Assigned

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: SYSTEMIC VIRAL/LIGAND GENE DELIVERY SYSTEM AND GENE THERAPY the specification of which was filed on 19 November 1999 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/US99/27365 and was amended on 17 November 2000.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application	Country	Foreign Filing Date	Priority Not	Certified Copy Attached?	
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